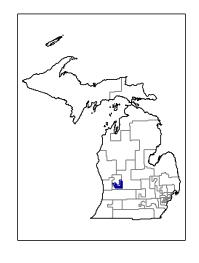
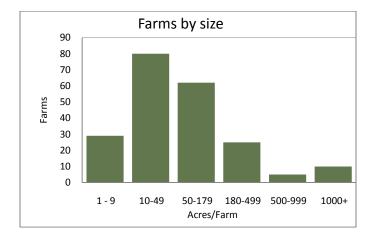
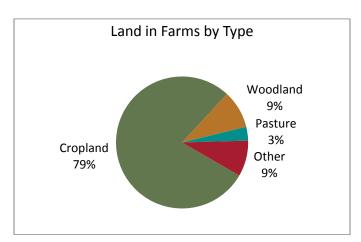


## Michigan Senate District 29



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	341	358	- 5
Number of Farms	211	230	- 8
Land in Farms	38,826 acres	32,203 acres	+ 21
Average Size of Farm	184 acres	140 acres	+ 31
Irrigated Land	1,962 acres	1,003 acres	+ 96
Market Value of Products Sold	\$32,154,000	\$22,985,000	+ 40
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$152,386	\$99,933	+ 52
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$1,092,000	\$568,000	+ 92
Government Payments	\$381,000	\$450,000	- 15
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,355	\$7,384	- 14







**State Legislative Profile** 

## Michigan, Senate District 29

Ranked items among the 38 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry and their products	32,154 24,353 7,801	23 23 21	31 31 30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	7,689 - (D) 3,932 7,673	23 - - 17 11 17	29 - - 29 27 31
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay	(D) (D)	26 24	26 29
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	(D) (D) 3,422 11 2 (D) - (D)	8 23 21 26 28 26 - 27	30 29 25 28 29 28 21 27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop Corn for silage or greenchop Wheat for grain, all	11,005 6,006 4,367 2,391 1,312	24 21 23 19 24	29 28 30 26 27
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Turkeys Cattle and calves Horses and ponies Layers Deer	(D) 4,272 524 217 (D)	5 21 27 27 18	29 28 31 29 24

## **Other Senate District Highlights**

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	70
\$1,000 to \$2,499	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9
\$5,000 to \$9,999	20
\$10,000 to \$19,999	21
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	11
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	6 7
\$100,000 to \$249,999	6
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10
\$500,000 or more	20
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	25,505
Average per farm (\$)	120,876
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	8,122
Average per farm (\$)	38,494

Operator characteristics	Quantity	
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	71 140	
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	181 30	
Average age of principal operator (years)	54	
All operators by race <sup>2</sup> : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	- - - 326 3	
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	5	

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.